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In re Application of:)
Herfried LAMMER)
Application No.: 09/918,437) Group Art Unit: 3711
Filed: August 1, 2001) Examiner: Unknown
For: RACKET FOR BALL SPORTS AND)
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING)
THEREOF)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application with a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney document for this application and reformatted drawings with appropriate margins;
2. Petition for Extension of Time (one-month); and
3. Check in the amount of \$240.00 to cover the missing parts surcharge (\$130.00) and one-month extension of time fee (\$110.00)

Please grant any extensions of time required and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account no. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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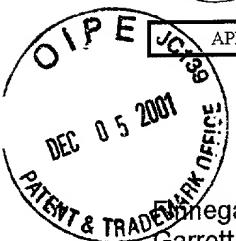
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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